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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Akira Shinada  
Serial No. : 09/836,083  
Filed : April 17, 2001  
For : APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING AN ELECTRONIC  
EQUIPMENT FOR VEHICLES  
Group A.U. : 2635  
Examiner : Nam Nguyen

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 8, 2003,  
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the abstract begin on page 3 of this  
Amendment.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of

claims that begins on page 4 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 8 of this Amendment.



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No fee is required.

☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

☐ Total claims in excess of ☐ previously paid for, at \$18 (\$9) ☐.

☐ Independent claims in excess of ☐ previously paid for, at \$84 (\$42) ☐.

☐ Additional Fee for this Amendment ☐.


☐ This response is being filed with the ☐ first month, ☐ second month, ☐ third month,  
☐ forth month, ☐ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor.

☐ Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of ☐ \$110 (\$55), ☐ \$400 (\$200), ☐ \$920  
(\$460), ☐ \$1,440 (\$720), ☐ \$1,960 (\$980) is due and paid herewith.

☐ The fee of \$ ☐ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and  
paid herewith.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ ☐ is attached.

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